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Ms. Kristen Mariuzza
Environmental & Permitting Manager
Kennecott Eagle Minerals
504 Spruce Street
Ishpeming, Michigan 49849

Dear Ms. Mariuzza:

SUBJECT: National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)
Permit No. MI0058649
Designated Name: Kennecott-Humboldt Mill
Storm Water Monitoring Plan

Staff of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources and Environment (DNRE), Water Resources Division (WRD), has received the additional information as requested in a letter sent to you on September 23, 2010. The revised Storm Water Monitoring Plan (SWMP) submitted for the Kennecott-Humboldt Mill facility, located at 4547 County Road 601, Champion, Michigan, now includes the necessary criteria for approval required under NPDES permit number MI0058649.

Therefore, the SWMP submitted for the Kennecott-Humboldt Mill facility is hereby approved. As discussed, this SWMP will characterize the storm water at the facility in its current non-operational state, and the SWMP will be combined with the overall Part 632 surface water monitoring plan prior to operations at the mill.

If you have any questions, please contact me via telephone at the number below, via email at ringuettel@michigan.gov, or via mail at DNRE – WRD, Gwinn District Office, 420 5th Street, Gwinn, Michigan 49841.

Sincerely,

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cc: File: NPDES, Marquette County, Kennecott-Humboldt Mill